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[Report No. 107-255]

To revise the boundary of the Black Canyon of the Gunnison National Park and Gunnison Gorge National Conservation Area in the State of Colorado, and for other purposes.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

February 13, 2002

Mr. Campbell introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources

SEPTEMBER 9, 2002

Reported by Mr. BINGAMAN, with amendments

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A BILL

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- 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-
- 2 tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,

1 SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

- This Act may be cited as the "Black Canyon of the
- 3 Gunnison National Park and Gunnison Gorge National
- 4 Conservation Area Boundary Revision Act of 2002".
- 5 SEC. 2. BLACK CANYON OF THE GUNNISON NATIONAL
- 6 PARK BOUNDARY REVISION.
- 7 (a) Establishment.—Section 4(a) of the Black
- 8 Canyon of the Gunnison National Park and Gunnison
- 9 Gorge National Conservation Area Act of 1999 (16 U.S.C.
- 10 410fff-2(a)) is amended—
- 11 (1) by striking "There is hereby established"
- and inserting the following:
- "(1) IN GENERAL.—There is established"; and
- 14 (2) by adding at the end the following:
- 15 "(2) BOUNDARY REVISION.—The boundary of
- the Park is revised to include the addition of not
- more than 2,725 acres, as depicted on the map enti-
- tled 'Black Canyon of the Gunnison National Park
- and Gunnison Gorge NCA Boundary Modifications'
- 20 and dated January 22, 2002." June 13, 2002.".
- 21 (b) Administration.—Section 4(b) of the Black
- 22 Canyon of the Gunnison National Park and Gunnison
- 23 Gorge National Conservation Area Act of 1999 (16 U.S.C.
- 24 410fff-2(b)) is amended—
- 25 (1) by striking "Upon" and inserting the fol-
- lowing:

| 1 | "(1) Land transfer.— |
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| 2 | "(A) IN GENERAL.—On"; and |
| 3 | (2) by striking "The Secretary shall" and in- |
| 4 | serting the following: |
| 5 | "(B) Additional Land.—On the date of |
| 6 | enactment of the Black Canyon of the Gunni- |
| 7 | son National Park and Gunnison Gorge Na- |
| 8 | tional Conservation Area Boundary Revision |
| 9 | Act of 2002, the Secretary shall transfer the |
| 10 | land under the jurisdiction of the Bureau of |
| 11 | Land Management identified as 'Tract C' on |
| 12 | the map described in subsection (a)(2) to the |
| 13 | administrative jurisdiction of the National Park |
| 14 | Service for inclusion in the Park. |
| 15 | "(2) Authority.—The Secretary shall". |
| 16 | SEC. 3. GRAZING PRIVILEGES AT BLACK CANYON OF THE |
| 17 | GUNNISON NATIONAL PARK. |
| 18 | Section 4(e) of the Black Canyon of the Gunnison |
| 19 | National Park and Gunnison Gorge National Conservation |
| 20 | Area Act of 1999 (16 U.S.C. 410fff–2(e)) is amended— |
| 21 | (1) in paragraph (1)— |
| 22 | (A) by redesignating subparagraphs (B) |
| 23 | and (C) as subparagraphs (C) and (D), respec- |
| 24 | tively; and |

| 1 | (B) by inserting after subparagraph (A) | | | | | |
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| 2 | the following: | | | | | |
| 3 | "(B) Transfer.—If land authorized for | | | | | |
| 4 | grazing under subparagraph (A) is exchanged | | | | | |
| 5 | for private land under this Act, the Secretary | | | | | |
| 6 | shall transfer any grazing privileges to the pri- | | | | | |
| 7 | vate land acquired in the exchange in accord- | | | | | |
| 8 | ance with this section."; and | | | | | |
| 9 | (2) in paragraph (3)— | | | | | |
| 10 | (A) in subparagraph (A), by striking | | | | | |
| 11 | "and" at the end; | | | | | |
| 12 | (B) by redesignating subparagraph (B) as | | | | | |
| 13 | subparagraph (D); | | | | | |
| 14 | (C) by inserting after subparagraph (A) | | | | | |
| 15 | the following: | | | | | |
| 16 | "(B) with respect to the permit or lease | | | | | |
| 17 | issued to LeValley Ranch Ltd., a partnership, | | | | | |
| 18 | for the lifetime of the 2 limited partners as of | | | | | |
| 19 | October 21, 1999; | | | | | |
| 20 | "(C) with respect to the permit or lease | | | | | |
| 21 | issued to Sanburg Herefords, L.L.P., a partner- | | | | | |
| 22 | ship, for the lifetime of the 2 general partners | | | | | |
| 23 | as of October 21, 1999; and"; and | | | | | |
| 24 | (D) in subparagraph (D) (as redesignated | | | | | |
| 25 | by subparagraph (B))— | | | | | |

| 1 | (i) by striking "partnership, corpora- | | | | | |
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| 2 | tion, or" in each place it appears and in- | | | | | |
| 3 | serting "corporation or"; and | | | | | |
| 4 | (ii) by striking "subparagraph (A)" | | | | | |
| 5 | and inserting "subparagraphs (A), (B), or | | | | | |
| 6 | (C)". | | | | | |
| 7 | SEC. 4. ACQUISITION OF LAND. | | | | | |
| 8 | (a) Authority To Acquire Land.—Section 5(a)(1) | | | | | |
| 9 | of the Black Canyon of the Gunnison National Park and | | | | | |
| 10 | Gunnison Gorge National Conservation Area Act of 1999 | | | | | |
| 11 | (16 U.S.C. 410fff–3(a)(1)) is amended by inserting "or | | | | | |
| 12 | the map described in section 4(a)(2)" after "the Map". | | | | | |
| 13 | (b) Method of Acquisition.— | | | | | |
| 14 | (1) In general.—Land or interest in land ac- | | | | | |
| 15 | quired under the amendments made by this Act shall | | | | | |
| 16 | be made in accordance with section $5(a)(2)(A)$ of the | | | | | |
| 17 | Black Canyon of the Gunnison National Park and | | | | | |
| 18 | Gunnison Gorge National Conservation Area Act of | | | | | |
| 19 | 1999 (16 U.S.C. 410fff–3(a)(2)(A)). | | | | | |
| 20 | (2) Consent.—No land or interest in land may | | | | | |
| 21 | be acquired without the consent of the landowner. | | | | | |

SEC. 5. GUNNISON GORGE NATIONAL CONSERVATION AREA 2 BOUNDARY REVISION. 3 Section 7(a) of the Black Canyon of the Gunnison 4 National Park and Gunnison Gorge National Conservation 5 Area Act of 1999 (16 U.S.C. 410fff–5(a)) is amended— 6 (1) by striking "(a) IN GENERAL.—There is es-7 tablished" and inserting the following: "(a) Establishment.— 8 "(1) IN GENERAL.—There is established"; and 9 10 (2) by adding at the end the following: 11 "(2) BOUNDARY REVISION.—The boundary of 12 the Conservation Area is revised to include the addi-13 tion of not more than 5,700 7,100 acres, as depicted 14 on the map entitled 'Black Canyon of the Gunnison 15 National Park and Gunnison Gorge NCA Boundary 16 Modifications' and dated January 22, 2002." June 17 13, 2002.".

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